Mid Places

-Then you’re from over there?

-And quite normal, despite what you’ve heard.

-I come to this land between us and collect rock samples.

-Interesting hobby.

-Do you have one?

-Committing suicide.

-Am I in your way?

-I usually wait for rain.

-Don’t they get mad? All that resuscitation?

-I’m part of a study.

-What do they expect to learn?

-They’ll find that out.